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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 6/16/2023

Volume								
	This Week	Last Reported (6/5/2023)	Last Year					
Tons:								
Hay	3825	3825	50					
Straw	25	25	25					
Total	3850	3850	75					

Please Note: The above volumes (tonnage, acres, and bales) listed on this USDA LPGMN report are for confirmed trades only, it does not include estimated volume (tonnage) for bids or offers to the trade.

Compared to last week: Alfalfa hay steady. Good demand for new crop hay, yet there is some resistance to price from dairy operators as milk prices around 15.00 per cwt are putting pressure on their margins. First cutting of alfalfa is complete, drought conditions are expanding in SE SD as temps have been hot and rains have been sparse. Rain in the forecast for the weekend which is greatly needed.

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Hay (Conventional)									
Alfalfa - Supreme (Trac	de/Per Ton)							
Large Square 3x4	<u>Qty</u> 50	<u>Price Range</u> 300.00	Wtd Avg 300.00	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Alfalfa - Supreme (Contract (Trade)/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u> 3500	Price Range 280.00	<u>Wtd Avg</u> 280.00	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u> Baleage	Crop Age			
Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Ton)									
Large Square 3x4	<u>Qty</u> 150	Price Range 250.00	<u>Wtd Avg</u> 250.00	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Alfalfa - Fair (Trade/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u> 50	Price Range 210.00	<u>Wtd Avg</u> 210.00	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Alfalfa - (Ask/Per Ton)									
Pellets 17% Suncured	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range 315.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>			
Grass - Good/Premium (Trade/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u> 75	Price Range 175.00	<u>Wtd Avg</u> 175.00	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>			

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Straw (Conventional)								
Wheat - (Trade/Per Ton)								
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age		
Large Square	25	150.00	150.00	Delivered				

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https://www.ams.usda.gov/sites/default/files/media/HayQualityGuidelines.pdf

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